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I. O. O. F.

Anniversary Banquet.

The twenty-sixth anniversary of Victoria Lodge No. 1, will be celebrated by a banquet to be held at the hall, Douglas St., on

Monday Evening, March 10th, 1890.

All members of Victoria Lodge No. 1 are requested to be present.
mc4 By order of the N. G.

QUEEN'S PLATE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

Victoria Jockey Club.

At the spring meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club to be held about May 24th, a purse of $500, and a piece of plate will be given for a race to be called "The Queen's Plate," open to all "maiden" horses, bred, raised and owned in the province; weight for age, V. J. C. rules.

NOTE.—A "maiden" horse is one that has never won a race in any country.

For further particulars enquire

D. E. CAMPBELL,
fy8 Secretary V. J. C., Victoria.

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LOTS ON ALFRED STREET, $400 each.

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WANTED—A good general servant for a small family. The principal part of the washing given out. Apply to Mrs. C. G. Ballentyne, Scoresby St. m5tf

K. of P.

THE officers and members of Far West Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, will meet at their lodge room on Sunday, the 9th instant, at 1.30 p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, R. Hunter. Sojourning brethren invited to be present.

R. J. PLUMMER,
mc5 K. of R. and S.

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS for additions to a frame residence, situated at the outer wharf, James Bay, will be received up to noon Saturday, 8th instant.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO TEAGUE, Architect,
m5 Cor. Broad St. and Trounce Ave.
(Times copy.)

Sealed Tenders.

FOR the purchase of the Teutonia Saloon business and lease for three or five years will be received by the undersigned on the premises, where further particulars can be obtained until three o'clock on Saturday, March 8th. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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NOTICE.

THE business of builders, contractors and mill work, at 9 to 15 Fort street, lately under the name of Smith & McIntosh, will in future be carried on under the name of Smith & Clark.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Better Mail Facilities Urged for the Province.

Charlton's Bill for the Better Observance of the Sabbath.

The President's Behring's Sea Proclamation Merely a Matter of Form—Labor Legislation Forthcoming.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Ont., March 5.—In the House this afternoon, Charlton introduced his bill for the better observance of the Sabbath, and said, among other things, that it was designed to prohibit the publication of Sunday newspapers, of which there were only two in Canada, THE COLONIST of Victoria, and the Vancouver New-Advertiser. It is altogether improbable that the bill will pass this session, owing to the late period of its introduction.

Sir John Thompson said in making the appointment of Queen's counsel that it was the intention to continue in use the form of commission heretofore used.

Mr. Mitchell read a despatch from Washington to the effect that the President of the United States would issue a proclamation warning all persons against entering Behring's Sea. He asked if the government knew of this intention on the part of President Harrison. Sir John Thompson replied that the telegram had not been noticed by the government. By a statute of the United States, the President was bound in the month of March each year to issue his proclamation warning all persons against trespassing within the territorial waters of Alaska, including all the territory ceded by Russia to the United States. There was no reason why this proclamation should be carried out in any hostile spirit or why it should interfere with the negotiations in progress at Washington.

Sir John, at the workingmen's banquet to-night, said that labor legislation would be introduced this session, but at present he could not indicate its scope.

Col. Prior and Mr. Earle again interviewed Hon. Mr. Haggert to-day relative to the renewal of the mail subsidy between Victoria and Westminster. All the British Columbia members saw the Post-Master General with a view to securing a better mail service on the Skeena River, and if possible to have a steamer call at the canneries.

Mr. Gordon is endeavoring to secure a mail subsidy for Clayoquot Sound.

Hudspeth fell on the icy sidewalk and broke his arm this afternoon.

Col. Prior has been informed by Sir A. P. Caron, that it is not possible to say when the Esquimalt fortifications will be commenced, owing to the correspondence with England being still in progress.

LANGLEY PUBLIC MEETING.

The Resolution Inviting Hon. Mr. Robson to be a Candidate at the Forthcoming Election Carried Unanimously.

(Columbian.)

A public meeting was held at Prairie school house on Saturday, Feb. 22nd. Mr. James Gray was elected to the chair, and after briefly explaining the object of the meeting he called on Mr. Henry Davis to address the meeting.

Mr. Davis announced his success as a delegate to Victoria to ask the government to make some amendments in the municipalities act in regard to statute labor and taxation of all lands in municipalities other than government lands. He also thought it was about time for us to select a candidate to represent the district at the next Legislative Assembly.

After some discussion it was moved by Coun. I. M. Johnston, seconded by Mr. William Murray, that an invitation be tendered the Hon. John Robson to allow himself to be nominated for re-election for the district of New Westminster at the forthcoming election; also that an invitation be extended to Hon. John Robson to visit this district at his earliest convenience, and that Messrs. A. Davidson, Coun. I. M. Johnston and Joseph Rinn be a committee to transmit the above resolution to the Hon. John Robson. Carried unanimously.

The secretary takes the liberty of expressing, in his opinion, that if the Hon. John Robson will be a candidate for this district at the coming election he will be elected by a handsome majority at the polls, on the grounds that some of the electors at the above meeting said that they did not vote for him last election, and were sorry for it, for they thought he was the right man in the right place.

JAS. RINN,
Secretary.

Two hundred new photos are to be seen at Hastings' Studio. Savannah.

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Fifth Parliament—Fourth Session.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, 5th March, 1890.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:10 p. m.

Prayers by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

PETITIONS.

Mr. Orr laid before the House the petition of James Morrison, praying for a fiat to be granted him respecting certain lands purchased by him at a tax sale, to prove that he is entitled to a refund of the sum paid him for said lands, the tax title having not been confirmed by the courts.

Mr. Cunningham presented the petition of Wm. Kaye and A. St. G. Hammersley, against Olcott's claim for 40 acres of Hill's Bar, Fraser River.

Mr. Cunningham introduced the petition of the corporation of Vancouver, praying that they might be represented by counsel before the Private Bills Committee in the consideration of their bill.

REPORTED.

Col. Baker, chairman of the Railway Committee, reported the preamble proved of the Okanagon and Kootenay Railway bill. Report received.

NELSON AND KOOTENAY LAKE RAILWAY.

Col. Baker moved the second reading of the Nelson and Kootenay Lake Railway bill (No. 31). In explanation, the hon. member for Kootenay stated that the road dealt with in the bill was a part of the system of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Co., more commonly known as the British Columbia Southern. They had applied for this part of their line to the Provincial House, as it existed wholly in British Columbia, extending from the town of Nelson to Kootenay Lake. Whether the promoters of the road would proceed with construction now, he did not know; the company had not announced their intentions since the Dominion government had taken the action they had. They had not said that they would abandon the British Columbia road, and so he (Col. Baker) advised that the House go on with the bill.

Hon. Mr. Robson thought that it would be well for the House to delay action until they were in possession of further information from the promoters of the road.

Col. Baker allowed the bill to stand over in compliance with the suggestion of the premier.

A RETURN.

Hon. Mr. Robson presented a supplementary return of the names and places of residence of collectors of revenue paid by commission, rate of same and date of authority therefor.

CROW'S NEST RAILWAY.

Col. Baker moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Crow's Nest Railway Act, for the purpose of granting the company in question an extension of time in which to construct the road. Work by the new bill was required to be commenced in three years and completed in five.

The bill passed its second reading and went into committee, with Mr. Martin in the chair. Reported complete as amended; report set for consideration on Thursday.

MISCHIEVOUS ANIMALS.

After making one or two clerical amendments, Mr. Haslam moved the adoption of the report on the Mischievous Animals bill. Report adopted and bill passed.

THE SPEAKER'S RULING.

On the resumption of the debate on the adoption of Mr. Speaker's ruling upon the point of hearing counsel in opposition to private bills, Mr. Croft, Mr. Martin, Mr. Allen, Mr. Duck, Hon. Mr. Beaven and Hon. Mr. Davie addressed the House.

The motion to sustain the chair was then put and carried on the following vote;

Yeas—Robson, Pooley, Turner, Davie. Tolmie, Anderson, Haslam, Duck, Baker, Nason, Smith, Cunningham, Ladner, and Mason—14.

Nays — Thomson, Croft, Martin, Allen, Vernon, Orr, Beaven, Semlin, and Cowan—9.

WAGON TIRES BILL.

Mr. Anderson moved the second reading of the Wagon Tire Amendment Bill, to reduce the width of wide tires to three instead of four inches. Four inch tires, the hon. member for Victoria district said, were not procurable, and many farmers had provided themselves with the three inch tire.

Hon. Mr. Davie opposed the bill. Four inch tires had been pronounced by the House the proper width, and personal considerations, such as had been mentioned by the introducer of the present bill, should not receive the attention of the House. He was a friend of wide tires, and did not like to see any legislation introduced that was calculated to impair the usefulness of the existing law in regard to road preservation.

Mr. Orr enquired if the bill was a public or a private measure.

The Speaker informed him that it was a public bill.

Hon. Mr. Beaven pronounced the bill incomplete, as it contained no preamble.

Mr. Semlin said if a preamble was inserted he would support the second reading.

The second reading was lost.

CATTLE RANGES' BILL.

Mr. Semlin moved the second reading of the Cattle Ranges' bill (No. 37), and at considerable length explained the necessity for and the contents of the bill.

The bill passed its second reading and went into committee, with Mr. Haslam in the chair. It was reported complete without amendment, the report was adopted, and the bill was read a third time and passed.

PRACTICE TO PREVAIL.

On motion of Mr. Martin, the standing orders were suspended, to enable him to introduce the following resolution:

"That the practice which has obtained in this House since confederation with respect to parties appearing before the Private Bills committee in support of or against any private bill shall be allowed to prevail during this session."

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Croft, and after a brief discussion adopted unanimously.

RETURN OF REMISSIONS.

Hon. Mr. Turner presented a return of remission of assessed taxes for the year ending June, 1889, as provided by the Revenue Act, Section 47.

WESTMINSTER STREET RAILWAY.

Upon the House going into committee upon this bill, with Mr. Thomson in the chair, Mr. Cunningham, who had the bill in hand, moved the insertion of five new sections, prohibiting the employment of Chinese labor by the company upon any of the streets of Westminster. He explained that his action was taken in compliance with expressed wish of the people of Westminster, and of their city council, as the employment of Chinese on the streets would conflict with the corporation laws in this respect. He did not think that any private corporation should be allowed to do what the city could not, and it was impossible for the council of Westminster to employ Chinamen in any capacity.

Mr. Martin thought that it was the first duty of any representative of the people to conform to their wishes as ex-

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CANADIAN NEWS.

The Holton Murder Mystery Nearing Solution.

A Second Large Colonist Party Coming Westward.

Falling in an Attempt to Suicide a Gray Haired Criminal Dies on His Way to Jail.

An Old Man's Crime.

KINGSTON, Ont., March 5.—Rudolph Deguehery, of Pacawawa, about 60 years old, was arrested for committing a grave outrage upon his young female pupils. He was rescued at his home and asked leave to get ready for his journey to jail. He went up-stairs and there took a heavy dose of strychnine. While on his way to Pembrooke in a cutter he had many spasms. He pathetically appealed not to be taken to jail, and immediately after stiffened and died.

The Holton Murder Mystery.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 5.—A telegram was received by the Free Press this morning from Carberry, stating that the suspected murderer of Wilson Holton, of East Tilbury, Essex County, Ont., had been arrested there. His name is McDuff, and he has been hiding at several villages along the C. P. R. Benjamin McMahon was found guilty of the murder of Holton, notwithstanding his protests of innocence, and sentenced to hang at Chatham last month, but was reprieved to imprisonment for life. The arrest of McDuff is expected to clear up the mystery attached to the murder.

Accidentally Shot.

BRAMPTON, Ont., March 5.—Alex. Shields and Wm. Hinde, young farmers, living near Edmonton, were fooling with a revolver when Hinde said playfully "Let's fight a duel;" levelled his pistol at Shields and snapped the trigger, Shields doing likewise. Shields' firearm proved to be loaded, however, and the bullet was lodged in Hinde's chest, just above the heart. He will probably die.

Arrested for Murder.

BELVILLE, March 5.—Wm. Arnot, charged with the murder of Hanna Coole on February 18th, was arrested last night in the cellar of the house of Francis Kierl, a farmer of Thurlow township, where he was hiding.

Another Party of Colonists.

TORONTO, March 5.—The second large party of Manitoba and Pacific coast colonists left the Union Station by the Canadian Pacific railway last night. There were 132 persons and 23 cars of stock.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

LONDON, March 5.—In the Commons to-day, Mr. MacNeil, member for South Donegal, resumed the debate. If the commission, he said, had been intended merely to elucidate the truth, the government, by a friendly agreement with the opposition, would have selected judges agreeable to both sides. He believed that the appointment of the commission was merely an attempt on the part of the government to stir up hatred against the Parnellites. He unqualifiedly charged that the government had allowed Pigott to escape precisely as it had permitted Lord Somerset to escape, for social reasons.

Sir Charles Lewis, Conservative member for North Antrim, commented on Dillon going to Australia without testifying before the commission.

Mr. Sexton said Dillon had submitted himself to the commission and enquired whether they wished to question him before his departure.

Sir Charles Lewis said Sexton was right, and then proceeded to comment on the absence of the League's books. He accused Henry Campbell, the Parnellite member for South Formanagh, of having removed the League's books to place them beyond the reach of the commission.

A lively discussion here ensued, in which Campbell, Sexton, Lewis and others took part.

In the course of the remarks Lewis declared that every charge made against the Parnellites which the commission had been unable to prove would have been proved without difficulty had all of the books been produced.

Prof. Jas. Bryce adjourned the debate. He thought that the vaguely hinted views of the judges reduced the value of the report of the commission as a conclusion to a very low ebb.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A Snowy Pall.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 4.—The dead body of little Willie Foster was found in the deep snow on Haverhill road, in North Andover, this morning. The boy had started for school yesterday morning and his body was found only a short distance from the schoolhouse.

Tupper Calls on the President.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Hon. Chas. H. Tupper, accompanied by Secretary Blaine, called on President Harrison at the executive mansion this morning, he was received in the library and remained for some time in conversation with the president. Until to-day the presence of Mr. Tupper in Washington has been officially ignored by the state department officials.

The Widening Ohio.

CAIRO, Ill., March 4.—The Ohio River is now over fifty miles wide at this point. It extends from the Cairo levee, which holds it banked up forty feet above the lower water mark in Kentucky, till it strikes the hills there, forming one solid strip of water, except for the narrow strip of rock-bound earth upon which the Mobile & Ohio and Illinois Central Railroads run south. A mile below here it joins the Mississippi, which in turn extends into the Missouri another fifty miles, making the combined width of the rivers over 100 miles. The current is terrific, and brings great quantities of heavy dirt, which makes navigation perilous. The ferry boat Three States made two trips to East Cairo yesterday and one up the Mississippi to Missouri, rescuing the people camped out on the ground. They were supposed to be beyond the reach of the flood, but which was being rapidly submerged at Padugh, Ky., 50 miles up the Ohio. There is much uneasiness, and as the city is not protected by the levees, as Cairo is, and in 1862 was flooded to the depth of six feet, and already the water has reached within a few feet of the door of the Richmond House, which stands on the river front, and two great tobacco warehouses are flooded. Ten thousand hogsheads of tobacco stored in them were removed last week. On Sunday the marine ways were compelled to suspend operations because of the flood, and the steamer Idlewild that was undergoing repairs had to be let down unfinished.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—Cleared: Str. Wellington, Nanaimo; Santa Rosa, Portland; ship Delaine, Port Townsend.

Kilrain Sentenced.

PURVIS, Miss., March 3.—Jake Kilrain appeared in court for sentence this morning. After dwelling briefly on the laws of Mississippi against prize fighting, and speaking in severe terms of the invasion of the state by the prisoner and his friends last July for an unlawful purpose, the judge sentenced Kilrain to two months' imprisonment in Purvis jail and to pay a fine of $200. John L. Sullivan's case, which is on appeal from a sentence of one year, will probably be decided next Monday.

Continued Rain.

MARYSVILLE, CALA, March 4. — It commenced raining early this morning and is still raining, with a prospect of continuance. About an inch and a-half has fallen up to 8 o'clock this evening, making over thirty-one inches for the season. The Yuba river has risen several feet this afternoon, and is now rising about half a foot an hour. It registers eleven feet and a-half, nearly five feet within high water mark.

LITTLE LOCALS.

No eastern mail was received last night.

Three more cases of fine bird cages at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St. *

The "ENDLESS WEAR" knit hose for boys at the CITY HOUSE. tf

County court will be held in the court house, Bastion square, to-day.

Every member of the U. R., K. of P., attended the monthly drill last evening.

The Teutonia saloon, formerly owned by the late Frank Sehl, is offered for sale by tender.

Monogram and visiting cards engraved at the THE COLONIST office.

Stationery at Daley's, 91 Douglas St. *

The stone foundation of Joseph Sommer's new building on Government street is rising rapidly.

The Albion Iron Works have now in the course of construction three 150 horse power engines.

The old Royal Columbian hospital on Agnes street, New Westminster, is being converted into tenement houses.

The great demand for canary birds just now among our citizens is owing to the fine display of bird cages at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Geo. Francis Train has been booked at Vancouver to take passage on the Abyssinia, March 17th, on his fast trip around the world.

For Sheffield razors, pocket knives, scissors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street. *

To keep the house warm use the Champion Weather Strip, for sale by J. P. Burgess, No. 10 Broughton street. *

Work is proceeding satisfactorily on the Amphion, and it is expected that the repairs will be completed before the expiration of the contract time.

The third Erminie rehearsal was held last evening, with a large attendance, in the Sir Wm. Wallace Society hall. The full cast is not yet decided upon.

J. B. Gordon, many years in the Bradstreets' mercantile agency, Toronto, leaves in a few days to take charge of Bradstreets' agency for British Columbia.

Stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

RAGS—Five cents a pound will be paid for clean cotton rags delivered in the pressroom of THE COLONIST.

To-morrow the new Y. M. C. A. rooms will be formally opened by the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson, Hon. John Robson and other prominent people.

Every arrangement is being completed to make the Charity Ball, given by the Married Ladies' Club in Assembly hall on the evening of April 5th, a signal success.

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Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90½ Government street. Telephone call, No. 171. A. HEATHORN.

Crane, McGregor & Boggs yesterday placed an immense wildcat in their window mounted on a large piece of bark. This is the only bark now remaining with the animal, which is the only thing of a wildcat nature about the office.

A fine lot of all kinds of brushes, dusters, whisks, brooms, mops, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

This evening the members of Triumph Lodge, No. 14, I. O. G. T., will give an anniversary entertainment at the Blue Ribbon hall, Esquimalt. A 'bus will leave Campbell's corner with Victoria members of the order at 7 o'clock.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

It is stated that it will take in the the neighborhood of $12,000 to repair the damage to the Sardonyx, now on the Star ways. Twenty-five feet of her stern has been removed the damage being much greater than before. The Albion Iron Works Co. have the contract.

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469. *

It is rumored that the two San Francisco reporters sent up to Puget Sound by the Examiner to try their hands at the smuggling business, and succeeded in bringing over a load of Chinese and considerable opium from Victoria, will be prosecuted by the U. S. government officials.

Take your misfitting suits to the "Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment," there they can be made to fit you at a small cost. Jno. T. Pierre, prop., 96 Yates street. *

It is rumored that at a late meeting of the directors of the Electric Tramway Co. the following notice was served on all conductors on the road: "A fine of $50 and instant dismissal to any employee of the road who will be found guilty of shouting All Aboard for R. A. Brown & Co., Douglas street."

The chief of police at Vancouver, under authority of a by-law passed in 1887, has confiscated a quantity of bread for being under weight. Every baker's shop in Vancouver was visited, and only three had their bread up to standard weight. The seized loaves will be given away to the destitute of the city.

The funeral of the late Frank Sehl took place from the family residence yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and from St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral at 10:30, many friends following the remains to their last resting place. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers; C. A. Lombard, Geo. Steitz, M. Moss, T. Geiger, Geo. Stelly and Jos. Loewen.

CUTTING prices on furniture seems to be the order of the day. Not wishing to be outdone by anybody, JACOB SEHL has decided to enter the cutting field and cut down prices 10 per cent. lower than any other firm, on the largest and best assorted stock in the province, of furniture, carpets, linoleum, matting, window blinds, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc. Call and convince yourself at Nos. 66 and 68 Government street. *

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Result of the Election in North St. Pancras.

Labouchere Interviewed on the Cleveland Street Scandal.

Boycott of British Goods in Favor of American Products at Rio—Harrington's Cipher Telegrams.

THE ST. PANCRAS ELECTION.

LONDON, March 5.—The result of the election in the north division of Saint Pancras has stricken the Conservatives with dismay, for in the success of the Gladstonians upon the issue of the acceptance of the Parnell commission's report as a vindication of the Parnellites, the Tories see "the hand-writing on the wall," warning them of their inevitable overthrow at the next general elections. So well seated is the fear that the government will now concentrate its energies in an effort to stave off anything calculated to force a dissolution, in the hope that chance may bring up something that will possibly swerve popular opinion from the track upon which it is now running. Should the government majority on Mr. Smith's motion fall below that shown by the vote on Parnell's amendment, however, it is difficult to see how an appeal to the country can be long averted. Before the present debate ends it is expected that Mr. Parnell, Mr. Morley, Sir Wm. Harcourt and other leaders will speak.

YOUNG LINCOLN'S REMAINS.

It has been settled that the body of Master Abraham Lincoln shall for the present be entombed in a vault in London, where it will remain until such time as the Minister and Mrs. Lincoln shall be able to accompany it to America for final interment.

A BOYCOTT OF BRITISH GOODS.

Leagues have been formed among merchants at Rio, Bahia, Para, Santos and Pernambuco with the object of boycotting British goods in favor of American products.

THOSE CIPHER TELEGRAMS.

Timothy Harrington has stated that Archbishop Walsh was chiefly instrumental in discovering the key to some cipher telegrams which he read in the Commons last night. It was Edgar Allan Poe's tale, "The Gold Bug," that assisted him in deciphering the telegrams.

THE CLEVELAND STREET SCANDAL.

In an interview on the subject of the Cleveland street scandal, Labouchere said this evening that it could not be denied that Hammond was assisted to escape. The books at Cook's tourist office, he said, showed that Mr. Newton had bought a ticket to America for Hammond and the boy who accompanied him. Moreover, he said, there are a number of letters available to prove that Hammond was assisted to leave. The assertion that Hammond was paralyzed, Labouchere said was false. He was always in excellent health and keenly aware of everything that was done in the Cleveland street house, as also were Hammond's wife and sister, who kept the house for him. As to the brothers Beveridge, or the house in Euston road mentioned by Hammond, Labouchere had never heard of their existence. He thought that a cross-examination of Hammond and his boy companion would elicit valuable and startling information.

PARNELL'S LEGAL EXPENSES.

Of the sum put up by Parnell to defray the expenses of the action brought by him in the Scottish courts against the Times and subsequently abandoned, £536 have been returned to him.

NEW OCEAN LINE.

Steamers to Run Between Portland and Oriental Ports.

PORTLAND, March 3.—A contract was executed in San Francisco to-day between officials of the Union Pacific and Frank Upton, of Japan, providing for a monthly line of steamers between Portland and Asiatic ports. The first steamer will arrive here in June with the new crop tea. The steamers will carry about 3,000 tons.

Negotiations in regard to this matter have been goiog on for nearly a year, and about three weeks ago Mr. Upton came over from Japan and settled terms with B. Campbell, general agent of the Union Pacific here, and they went down to San Francisco on the last steamer to meet Mellen, of the Union Pacific, and the contract was executed and approved there to-day.

Mr. Upton has two very economical first-class steamers—the Zambesi, 3,000 tons, and the Cashgar, 2,600 tons, both fine iron ships, which are expected to make the run from Yokohama here in thirteen to fourteen days and back in sixteen to eighteen.

The Zambezi came here for a cargo of flour about a year ago. Both steamers are fitted out with new steel lockers, and another ship of similar character will be provided to complete the line.

There is considerable flour shipped from here now by the Canadian Pacific, and the steamers they send here are unable to take all the flour offered. It is expected that flour, etc., will be offered here and goods brought by rail from the coast. Machinery, cotton goods, etc., will furnish cargoes for the ships, and the Canadian Pacific line have had about twice as much freight offered of late as they could carry.

CABLE NEWS.

Terrified Brutes, Not Men.

LONDON, March 5.—Later details about the loss of the steamship Quetta, while bound for London from Cookstown, show that the negro members of the crew took possession of the best boat and refused to allow anyone else in her. The other boats with only four survivors arrived at Adolphus Island, three miles from where the steamer went down. They were subsequently taken off by the steamer Albatross.

A Crisis Imminent.

PARIS, Mar. 5.—All the newspapers of this city are unanimous in expressing the opinion that the discussion in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday of M. Dryfus' interpolation in regard to the resignation of M. Constans, the late minister of the interior, weakened the ministry. They also express the belief that a ministerial crisis is not far off, and was only postponed by the Chamber's vote of confidence yesterday.

See our little folks—the Hastings Studio. Savannah.

Open for Traffic.

BOULDER CREEK, March 4.—Boulder Creek branch is now open after being closed a month by washouts. All trains are running through.

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THE BY-LAWS.

The City Council has been treated far better by the ratepayers than it deserved. They have been indulgent and have not stopped the supplies. We trust that the Council will take thought and mend. It has had a narrow escape. It might have been for the remainder of the year with an empty treasury with heavy debts to pay and with services suffering for want of immediate attention.

The ratepayers have been the reverse of exacting. They found fault with the Council for misappropriating money raised by loan for specific purposes. This is not a question of mere book-keeping. It is a matter of good faith and of common honesty. The Council obtains leave from the ratepayers to borrow money for a specific purpose. It is bound in honesty to devote every dollar of the proceeds of that loan to that purpose. It cannot be honestly diverted to any other use. The Council may, we presume, bank the money in any way it sees fit, but it is in good faith bound so to regulate its expenditure that every cent of the loan shall be available for the purposes for which it was borrowed, and, if at the end of the year the whole of the money is not expended, the balance should be in the bank to the credit of the city. We have been told that it there is a deficiency the Councillors can be held personally responsible. We are not well enough acquainted with the law to know whether this is the case or not, but if it is not the law, it ought to be. The Councillors when they divert the proceeds of a loan from the purpose for which they were authorized to contract it, commit a breach of faith and should be held responsible for the consequences. This is nothing but fair as between the councillors and the ratepayers. For instance, the Councillors yesterday obtained leave to borrow $12,000 to be expended upon the cemetery. They are in honor and in honesty bound to spend that money on the cemetery to the best advantage. If they spend $8,000 of it this year the remaining $4,000 should be left in the bank in such a way that it should be immediately available for the use of their successors. If it had been spent, no matter how, the out-going councillors should not consider themselves ill-used if they were required to make good the deficiciency. Business should be done by the council on business principles. If they get money in trust they should be compelled to be faithful to the trust. The money raised under a by-law for which the sanction of the ratepayers is required is trust money. The councillors are trustees who are entrusted with the expenditure of the money under the provisions of the law, and they cannot depart from those provisions in the slightest degree. They have no discretion in the matter. Good faith requires the most scrupulous observance of the conditions of the trust. An end should be put at once and forever to the loose way in which the money raised by loan has been handled by the council. Its members should fully understand their obligation and should insist upon their being fulfilled to the letter.

BLUNDERING AGAIN.

The organ of the Opposition has made another discovery. It is continually making discoveries. It has found out that the Attorney-General intends, to use its own classic phrase, "to cinch" the owners of land through which railways may, after the passage of the bill now before the House, run. It represents the arbitration clause of Mr. Davie's bill as an unique piece of legislation. The fine scorn with which it contemplates this obnoxious clause is delightful to witness. It characterizes it as "one of those neat strokes of attempted legislation which should insure the originators a period of private life." "Has," it, in its indignation, asks, "the Attorney-General become so besotted with the idea of class legislation that he dares to take the chances of a civil insurrection, that a railway may run whithersoever it may?"

Would it not have been well for our contemporary, before it consigned the Attorney-General to outer darkness, to enquire what other provinces of Canada and the Dominion itself have done in similar cases. British Columbia is not the only province in the Dominion in which railways are built and in which land is valued for railway purposes. It strikes us that any one possessing the least prudence and not wishing to make an exhibition of his ignorance and his shallowness, would see how this business of valuing land to be taken for railway purposes is done in other parts of the Dominion. Whatever the Times may think of the Attorney-General of British Columbia it will admit that the law officers of the Crown in the Dominion and Ontario are not "besotted with the idea of class legislation" and that they do not deserve for the laws they have not only framed but placed on the statute book to be relegated to private life. It will have to admit that Sir John Thompson and the Hon. Oliver Mowat have some knowledge of the principles of law, and that they have some regard for what is just and equitable. They would not frame a railway law which in one of its principal provisions was so manifestly unjust as to rouse the indignation of patriotic laymen. And even if they were so ignorant and so stupid—if they could not get it through their "thick noddles that the occupancy of land for railway purposes not unfrequently means a loss of value to the extent of the entire property,' the hundreds of legislators who examined those laws and who aided in carrying them through the legislatures of the Dominion and the province of Ontario would be too intelligent and too honest to sanction "barefaced robbery."

The clause with which the Times finds so many faults and which has raised its indignation to the boiling point is, as quoted by it, as follows:

"The arbitrators, in deciding on such values, are authorized to take into consideration the increased value that would be given to any land through which the railway passes and to set off the increased value against the inconveniences that might be sustained," etc.

The passage is within quotation marks and we are therefore justified in concluding that it is the "ipsissima verba" of the clause objected to. But it is not. This is the sub-section as it appears in the bill:

(9.) The arbitrators, in deciding on such value or compensation, are authorized and required to take into consideration the increased value that would be given to any lands or grounds through or over which the railway will pass by reason of the passage of the railway through or over the same, or by reason of the construction of the railway, and to set-off the increased value that will attach to the said lands or grounds against the inconvenience, loss, or damage that might be suffered or sustained by reason of the company taking possession of, or using the said lands or grounds as aforesaid.

Now, let us see what the Dominion Act has to say on the same subject. This is Section 153 of the Railway Act of 1888, not abridged, but in full:

"The arbitrators in deciding on such value or compensation, shall take into consideration the increased value that will be given to any lands through or over which the railway will pass by reason of the passage of the railway through or over the same, or by reason of the construction of the railway, and shall set off the increased value that will attach to the said grounds against the inconvenience, loss or damage that might be suffered or sustained by reason of the Company taking possession of or using the lands as aforesaid."

There is no mistaking the purport of this clause in the Dominion law. If it can be shown that the construction of the railway will enhance the value of the property as a whole in assessing the value of that part taken by the Company the arbitrators are required to take that fact into consideration. This is simply common sense. It is absurd for a man to ask damages for land taken for a railroad which will increase the value of his property, say, one hundred per cent. The man is greatly benefitted by the construction of the road, and it does look singular to be required to pay him for putting money into his pocket. In equity he should be required to pay the Company for enriching him. But the law does not give the arbitrators the power to make the land owner pay for the privilege of having the road pass through his land. It simply requires them to consider whether he is helped or hurt by the road, and to value the land taken according to the decision at which they arrive. This is the law of the Dominion, and we have heard of no protests against it. No Opposition journal has denounced the Government for allowing such a law to be placed on the statute book nor called the Minister of Justice all sorts of names, because it was enacted under his administration.

It may be said that this is a Tory law and that it is folly to expect anything good from the Tories. Well, we have before us the Grit law on the same subject, and it is so like the Tory law that the Tory administration might be suspected of stealing its ideas from the Grits, or that both Tories and Grits obtained their inspiration from a common source. Sub-section 9 of section 20, Chap. 170 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, reads as follows:

"The arbitrators in deciding on such value or compensation are authorized and required to take into consideration the increased value that would be given to any lands or grounds through which the railway will pass by reason of the construction of the railway, and to set-off the increased value that will attach to the said lands or grounds against the inconvenience, loss or damage that might be sustained by reason of the company taking possession or using the said lands or grounds as aforesaid."

Surely the righteous Oliver Mowat has not been guilty of "barefaced robbery." His "noddle" is not "thick." He does not give "the railway an opportunity to "cinch" every landowner who may chance to come in its path." He is surely not "so besotted with the idea of class legislation that he dares to take the chances of a civil insurrection that a railway may run whithersoever it may." Yet his law setting forth the principles on which lands taken for railway purposes shall be valued is precisely the same in every respect as that contained in the bill which the Hon. Theodore Davie has introduced into the Legislative Assembly of this province. But the truth is the Times has again been denouncing what it has not enquired into and does not understand, and consequently it has made itself ridiculous."

PLACE FOR THE LADIES.

That the ladies are coming to the front in Great Britain and the United States there is abundant evidence. Not only are they asserting themselves as workers entering fields of action that have been hitherto monopolized by men, but they are coming before the world as daring thinkers and venturesome reformers. They exhibit very little of the timidity that is commonly supposed to be characteristic of the softer sex in advancing new and strange theories on delicate subjects. We have instances—shall we say of the temerity—of literary and philosophical ladies in two of the reviews for February. There is an article in the Fortnightly written by Amelie Rives Chanler, headed "Was It a Crime?" in which the gifted and thrilling writer wants to know whether or not it is a crime to put a person afflicted with an incurable disease, whose life is a burden to him, out of pain by administering a dose of poison. Of course, Mrs. Chanler does not put the case in this plain, unvarnished way. She propounds her question in the form of a parable. She tells of a wife who idolized her husband. That husband met with disappointment and misfortunes. He broke down under his affliction. He was stricken with a painful disease. The agony he suffered was dreadful to witness. It was torture to his wife. There was hope of his recovery at first. But the crisis came, and after that the husband was doomed. The wife learned from the doctor that there was no hope. Her husband might linger for a few days, but his death was certain. His awful suffering continued. The wife, who was at by his bedside was nearly, if not altogether, beside herself at witnessing suffering which she was unable to alleviate. She administered laudanum to the dying man. The physician told her that she must not give him more than nine drops at stated periods. But the time came when the opiate had no appreciable effect. The agony continued. He prayed for rest—for help. His wife, unable to endure the sight of his suffering any longer, gave him, not nine, but thirty drops. The dose killed the patient. Was it murder? Take away the romance, and the story is not an edifying one. Let the principle which Mrs. Rives Chanler contends for, or rather tacitly approves, be admitted to be legitimate, and the door is set wide open for crime. Treachery and greed and jealousy would then have opportunities that our present code denies them. The tortured wife's crime was murder. Society dare not make it anything else.

Alice Bodington discusses "marriage from a scientific standpoint" in the Westminster. She does this fearlessly and frankly, and is not prevented from giving free utterance to her thoughts by what she, no doubt, considers the prejudices of race and education. We have not space to give a synopsis of her article, which is very well written. She does not believe in the indissolubility of the marriage tie, and she does not discuss it from a religious point of view. She looks upon marriage as a civil contract which should not necessarily bind the parties for life, and which could be dissolved if found disagreeable or irksome by one of the parties. She does not say for how long a period it should be binding, but she evidently regards five years, as suggested by Professor Cope, too long. She believes, however, that twelve months' notice should be given. It is hard to imagine the state of society in which the kind of marriage that this lady favors obtains. But we did not set out with the intention of discussing her theories. What we wished to do was simply to show the progress that some ladies are making in the world of science and philosophy? Are these two ladies going backwards or forwards?

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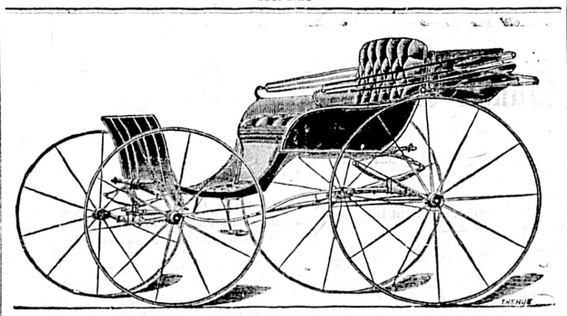
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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, Feb. 27, 1890. f28 C. M. C.

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TAKE NOTICE THAT FROM AND after this date, piling of cordwood on the embankment between Dallas Road, together with its extension in Beacon Hill Park, and the foreshore, is hereby strictly forbidden.
By order of the Municipal Council,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Feb. 27, 1890. fy28-

A BY-LAW.

To provide for the appointment of a Foreman of the Water Works.

WHEREAS, it is expedient to appoint a Foreman of the Victoria Water Works in pursuance of the provisions of "The Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1878."

Be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Thomas Preece is hereby appointed to be the Foreman of the Water Works of the City of Victoria, and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter perform such duties in connection therewith as may be required of him by the Water Commissioner.

2. The said Thomas Preece shall be entitled to 30 days notice prior to being discharged from his said office.

3 The compensation or salary of the said Thomas Preece shall be at the rate of one hundred dollars a month, payable monthly.

4. This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Foreman Appointment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 19th day of February, A. D. 1890.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 26th day of February, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Mayor, mc2

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned under the firm name of Routledge, Swinerton & Co., has been dissolved, as and from the 31st January last, by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned, William Henry Routledge, under the firm name of Routledge & Co., and all accounts will be paid by Mr.
Dated at Victoria, 12th February, 1890.
W. H. ROUTLEDGE,
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Witness C. DUBOIS MASON. fy13

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JAMES BEATY,
Solicitor for the "Confederation Life Association."
Toronto, 3rd December, 1889. d12-2m

NOTICE.

Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, of Broad St., Victoria, have this day been appointed the agents of The Citizens Insurance Company of Canada, for Vancouver Island, and are the only persons entitled to receive premiums due to the said Company and transact their business on said Island.
Mr. E. A. Hart is no longer in the service of this Company.
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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."
Lots 1658 and 1659 in the City of Victoria.
NOTICE is hereby given that I shall register the above lots in the name of J. B. Matthews as owner in fee in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 7th February, 1890, by the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing within one month from the date hereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
12th February 1890 fy12-1mo

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."
Lots 3 and 16 of Part of Section LXXVI., Victoria District.
WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Frederick Whatley Wood to the above lots, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1862, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.
Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 28th February, 1890. fy28

ESTATE OF N. PORTMAN
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of N. Portman, lately of Douglas street, Victoria, grocer, that all accounts and moneys due to the said estate must be paid forthwith to the undersigned, who has been authorized to receive the same by an order of the Supreme Court.
J. E. McMILLAN,
Receiver.
Victoria, Feb. 26, 1890. fy28tf

NOTICE
MESSRS. C. C. PEMBERTON AND Fred. G. Walker, barristers at law and solicitors, have entered into partnership. The firm will be carried on under the name of
iy18 WALKER & PEMBERTON.

NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at the present session for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a line of railway, commencing from a point at or near Asheroft, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway; thence in a north and north-westerly direction via the Valley of the Bonaparte River, to a point at or near Barkerville, in the district of Cariboo, British Columbia; together with the usual powers to build, use and own the said railway and land grant in aid thereof, and to acquire lands and other bonuses and aids from the Dominion Government and the Government of the Province of British Columbia, and to make traffic and other arrangements with railway or other companies, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.
DRAKE, JACKSON & CO.,
Solicitors for the Applicant.
Victoria, Jan. 30, 1890. jy31-6w

NOTICE.
Estate of William Heathorn, Deceased.
ALL persons indebted to the estate are hereby requested to pay the amount thereof forthwith, and all persons having any claim against the estate are hereby requested to send in full particulars of same forthwith to
M. C. HEATHORN,
jy28-1m Sole Executrix, P. O. box 46.
Dated this 27th day January, A.D. 1890.

NOTICE.
MR. H. B. W. AIKMAN, BARRISTER-at-Law, was, on the first day of January instant, admitted a partner in the firm of DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, which will be continued under the name of
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NOTICE.
DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile holds my power of attorney, and will attend to the Canada Life Assurance and other business.
my9-1yr A. W. JONES.

NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an act to incorporate a company, to be called the "Canadian Pacific Fire Insurance Company, Limited," for the purpose of carrying on a general fire insurance business within the province of British Columbia.
Dated at Victoria, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1890.
CHARLES WILSON,
jy29 Solicitor for Applicants.

Dissolution of Partnership.
NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between St. Clair Blackett and Frederick George White, carrying on business in Langley, B. C., as general merchants, under the firm name of Blackett & White, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All duly certified liabilities of the late firm will be paid at the Bank of B. C., New Westminster, and all outstanding accounts can be paid to either of the late firm, or to the Bank of B. C., New Westminster.
ST. CLAIR BLACKETT.
FRED. G. WHITE.
Witness—C. R. KING.
Victoria, B. C., March 1st, 1890. mc1

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between William Spencer Hampson and Chester Lee Terry, carrying on the business of general dry goods retailers on the corner of Yates and Broad streets, under the title of Hampson & Terry, is hereby dissolved by mutual agreement. Chester Lee Terry assumes the stock and will continue the business as usual and discharge all the liabilities of the late firm.
(Sgd) WM. SPENCER HAMPSON,
CHESTER LEE TERRY,
Witness—HENRY JOHN HOLMANS.
Victoria, January 30, 1890. feb4

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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pressed by the majority. The hon. member for Westminster City was not doing this, for at a public meeting, held at that gentleman's request, the people of Westminster had requested him by resolution to advocate the insertion of anti-Chinese clauses in every private bill brought before the House. Only yesterday, however, the member for Westminster had completely ignored this request, allowing the British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Co's bill to pass without even attempting to have an anti-Chinese clause placed in it. If it was just and right to put the provision in one bill, it was just and right to put it in all. As Mr. Cunningham had not pressed the necessity of inserting the clause in the other bill, he (Mr. Martin) would oppose it being placed in this. The time had come when British Columbia was forced to recognize the necessity of employing Chinese in certain public works.

Mr. Cunningham said that the resolution passed for his direction by the people of New Westminster was not as Mr. Martin had read it. That resolution was defeated as it was thought that it would not be politic to ask the House to support so sweeping a measure. He (Mr. Cunningham) quoted from The Truth, which generally opposed him, in proof of his statement that the resolution referred to had been defeated by the public meeting. He assured the House that the anti-Chinese clauses proposed to be inserted in the street railway bill were approved by the promoters of the road.

Mr. Croft could not advise the insertion of anti-Chinese clauses in all private bills. There were certain industries which were very valuable to the province, which, in order to compete with their foreign rivals, were forced to employ cheap labor; and legislation prohibiting the use of Chinese labor might be fatal to these industries.

Hon. Mr. Robson thought that the House had been misinformed on one point. The clauses proposed by the hon. member for Westminster City had not been approved by the promoters of the street railway. What they had said was that they would have no objection to the clause if it were inserted in all private bills. It was a matter of justice that all should be treated alike.

Mr. Cunningham explained that at the public meeting held in New Westminster the principal promotors of the street railway had said that they did not not care "if 101 anti-Chinese clauses were put in the bill."

Mr. Mason remarked that he had thought the Chinese question had been thoroughly thrashed out three years ago; yet the House now found it cropping up again in three or four of the bills introduced by the hon. member for New Westminster city, which, if adopted by the House, would be of detriment to some of the most important industries of the country. The clauses now proposed were unconstitutional; this had been clearly proved in the highest courts in the land. He hoped that the hon. member for Westminster would withdraw his objectionable clauses, of which it was clear the House did not approve. If he would not withdraw them, he hoped that the House would "sit upon" such legislation, which was unconstitutional, un-British and un-Christian.

Hon. Mr. Beaven took exception to the last speaker's remarks. The proposed clauses were neither unconstitutional nor un-Christian. Similar clauses had been inserted before in a good many bills; and it was a strange coincidence that they were introduced, as now, just on the eve of a general election. He thought that the hon. member for Westminster city was deserving of the support, not the censure of the House. That hon. gentleman was only following what had been done in 1886. What British Columbia wanted was increased white population, and every effort should be directed towards the securing of this. He hoped that Mr. Martin would withdraw his opposition and that the House would endorse Mr. Cunningham.

Hon. Mr. Robson thought that the principle if embodied in one bill should be in all. This was the only consistent course open to the House. The Chinese question was one of very difficult solution; almost everyone was averse to the Chinese until his own interests were in any way affected. The "Chinese must go" was the cry, until the individual or the corporation or the company was touched and then it became a very different matter. Everyone was loyal on the anti-Chinese question until his own interests became concerned. He (the Premier) had always taken a firm stand, but he remembered when he and two of his political associates, one of them the brother of the member for Westminster city, had been burned in effigy just because they had taken this stand. He (Hon. Mr. Robson) was still a firm believer in the principle of prohibiting the employment of Chinese labor on public works, but he recalled to memory the fact that the mover of the resolution just passed, at the public meeting in Westminster asking Mr. Cunningham to take his present position, was the very gentleman who was the leader in the agitation in favor of the Chinese when he and his colleagues were burned in effigy. On that occasion this gentleman was cheered to the echo for his rousing speech, exactly opposite to the opinions he now expressed. The feeling of Westminster City was very changeable; at one time they were strong in their opposition to the Chinese, at other times they were the very opposite. He had, by request, seconded Mr. Cunningham's resolution, but now that he learned that it was not by the request of the promoters of the street railway that the anti-Chinese clauses were offered, he would have to oppose their introduction. Paradoxical as it seemed, his ardor on the Chinese question had been considerably cooled by that burning in effigy. His own opinion, that the Chinese population was essentially undesirable, remained unchanged.

Mr. Cunningham repeated his assurances that the burning in effigy was the act, not of Westminster, but of a disreputable mob. The stand he had taken was upon the expression of the Westminster of to-day. He was anxious to prevent collision between the city and a corporation whose operations would be principally on the public streets. The Chinese were undesirable in any community. The hon. member for Cariboo had said something about the proposed clauses being un-Christian. If he had only the desire to Christianize the Chinamen he would wish them in—

Hon. Mr. Davie—In Heaven! (Laughter.)

Mr. Cunningham—Thanks! The Chinese exercise a demoralizing influence wherever they go—

Mr. Martin—They have demoralized you.

Mr. Cunningham, continuing, said that Chinese labor was detrimental wherever it was employed; it was degrading to honest labor, and he was strongly opposed to it. He warmly endorsed the clauses which he had the honor of proposing.

Mr. Martin said that Mr. Cunningham was most inconsistent. He would like to ask that hon. gentleman one question: did he not employ Chinese himself? The hon. gentleman need not answer. He (Mr. Martin) knew that he was an employer of Chinese—he could not deny it. If the employment of Chinese labor was degrading and dishonorable he would like to know where the hon. member for Westminster city came in. He did not think it was degrading or contaminating to employ any person, if that person received his pay. Mr. Cunningham had been asked to insert anti-Chinese clauses in every private bill considered, and he had failed to do so; his argument was weak indeed.

Mr. Cunningham said that he had been misunderstood. He did not say that the employment of Chinese labor was degrading; it was degrading only to white labor to be brought into competition.

Mr. Smith thought that there was just as much evil among the whites as among the Chinese, and for his own part he employed no Chinamen, still if a man wanted to, he conceded to him the right to do as he saw fit. If Westminster as a city did not care to employ Chinese, it was their own affair entirely, but they had no right to direct what any private corporation should do. As far as the Chinese on the streets were concerned, they were on the streets anyway. The principle should not be adopted in one bill and ignored in others.

On the vote being called, the anti-Chinese clauses were lost, Beaven, Davie, Duck and Cunningham alone voting yea.

Mr. Cunningham moved that the committee rise and report progress.

Hon. Mr. Pooley—Is that for the object of killing the bill or not? We want to know what the move is for?

Mr. Cunningham—The object is to introduce an amendment which I have just received from the Mayor of Westminster city.

Hon. Mr. Pooley—Well, the Mayor of Westminster city is not going to control this House.

Mr. Duck—The member who has charge of the bill has a perfect right to make the motion if he wants to.

Mr. Cunningham said that he had no intention of moving to kill the bill, and the committee rose.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

On the further consideration of the report on the Municipalities Amendment bill, amendments were introduced to enable city municipalities to extend their limits one mile, instead of half a mile; to require the advertisement of corporation by-laws 30 instead of ten days, and to change of hour of opening the polls from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m. The last amendment was withdrawn; the other two adopted.

Further consideration of the report was adjourned until Monday.

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The report upon this bill was adopted and the bill passed.

REGISTRATION.

Mr. Duck moved the second reading of a bill respecting the registration of births, deaths and marriages; and explained that it dealt with the registration of such as occurred prior to 1862.

The bill passed its second reading; to be committed on Thursday.

B. C. M., T. AND T. CO.

The House went into committee, Mr. Nason in the chair, upon the B. C. Mills, Timber and Trading Co. bill. The bill was reported complete with amendments.

P. C. FIRE INSURANCE CO.

On motion of Mr. Cunningham, the bill to incorporate the Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Co passed its second reading; to be committed on Thursday.

The House rose at 6 o'clock.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

By Mr. Duck—To move that a select committee be appointed to consider the evidence adduced before a select committee of the House during the session of 1888, appointed to enquire into the application of Donald McKenzie to pre-empt section 98 Esquimalt district, and to report upon the same; said committee to consist of Messrs. Semlin, Orr, Martin, Anderson, and Allen.

By Mr. Beaven—To move that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieut.-Governor requesting him to cause to be sent down to the House copies of all orders-in-council received or approved respecting the proposed railway known as the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway, or the B. C. Southern Railway, together with all correspondence and telegrams received or sent by the Government or any of its members upon the same subject.

By Mr. Haslam—To introduce a bill respecting the marking of timber.

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F. G. VERNON, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 27th Feb, 1890. m1

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	P.M	P.M	P.M.		A.M	P.M	P.M.	
	Ar 1.21	Ar 5.53	Ar 7.15	VICTORIA	De 8.40	De 2.30	De 10.00	
	" 1.39	" 6.56	De 7.00	RUSSELL'S Vic.W	" 8.44	" 2.34	Ar 10.15	
	" 1.10	" 5.44		ESQUIMALT	" 8.51	" 3.14		
	" 11.48	" 4.19		SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 9.21	" 4.04		
	" 11.36	" 4.14		COBBLE HILL	" 10.16	" 4.14		
	" 11.19	" 3.59		McPHERSON'S	" 10.28	" 4.20		
	" 11.07	" 3.49		KOKSILAH	" 10.45	" 4.30		
	" 10.59	" 3.44		NYANZA	" 11.02	" 4.44		
	" 10.52	" 3.35		SOMENOS	" 11.12	" 4.54		
	" 10.26	" 3.12		CHEMAINUS	" 11.38	" 5.16		
	De 9.21	" 2.14	De 1.50	NANAIMO	Ar 12.40	" 6.14		
	Ar 9.15				De 12.49			
	De 9.00	De 1.50		WELLINGTON	Ar 1.04	Ar 6.29		

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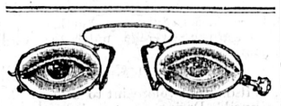
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BR. BARQUE "ARCHER," Capt. Dawson, From London.

THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf TO-DAY and following days.

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All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m. each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

TURNER, BEETON & CO., Consignees of Vessel. Victoria, 24th Feb., 1890. fy26

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 12, takes effect January 1, 1890.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock

Fraser River Route:

Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

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The Colonist.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1890.

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Per Str. ISLANDER from Vancouver.—John McDonald, John Gunsell, Mrs J J Nickson, J Hall, S T Coney, J Cruen, Capt Spiner, G Radburn, J W McCallum, T Hope, A Goodwin, C J Phipps, W J McMillan, C E Wells, C Hillyer, E Evans, J Niven, R W Armstrong, J Cuthbertson, S H Holmes, H V Bernor, F H Saword, Mrs Manson, J M Martin, S Goodspeed, S T Gablen, Capt. G Robertson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC, from the Sound—Thos Earle, John Sampson, C M Bronson, Fell & Co, H Moyle, A & G, H Saunders, V L Mfg Co, H Saunders.

Per Str. ISLANDER from Vancouver.—McGregor & Co, A B Gray & Co, Kirschberg & Landsberg, C R McDonald & Co, Gilmour & McCandless, Brown & White, R Cunningham, Caleb Windsor, S Leiser, D Hart, H Saunders, Lenz & Leiser, T M Graham, J & A Clarihue, Hastie & Lockhart, H Bornstein, J Piercy & Co, McLean & Stewart, W Croft, Hudson Bay Co, W J Jeffree, Langley & Co, C Strouss & Co, Dom Exp Co.

DIED.

BEAM—In this city, on the 5th instant, of brain fever, Maggie, the beloved wife of Eli Beam, aged 31 years.

The funeral will take place on Friday at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 127 Elizabeth street.

HUNTER—In this city, on the 5th instant, of heart disease, Richard Hunter, a native of Ireland, aged 52 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon.

WANTED,

2,000 lots of ladies' and gents' new and cast-off clothing, by April 25th, N. POINTER, No. 85 Johnson street, cor. of Broad. *

The "Queen" brand of hams and bacon, cut from Iowa corn-fed hogs, cured in granulated sugar and smoked with corn cobs, specially for those who can appreciate a good article. Ask your grocer to "Queen" brand. marltf

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1847 Genuine Rogers Bros'. Forks, Old English pattern, at Davidson Bros., Jewellers, Yates Street. *

The sun goes down in the west and prices go down at Partridge's Lansdowne House, Yates street. *

Beautiful effects in "Lignomur" and artistic paper hangings at John Weiler's, also largest stock of furniture, etc., in the province.

The most reliable makers of Flatware in the world are Rogers Bros. Davidson Bros., Yates Street, have their goods for sale. *

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Local Industry.

It is now over four years since the first Goodwin piano was made and sold in British Columbia. In the factory there are twenty-five either finished or in course of construction, and as many more have been sold and distributed about the province, giving entire satisfaction to their purchasers, who have signified the same by written testimony, which the makers are about to publish. A call at the factory will not only convince intending buyers that a first-class piano can be made at home, but also obtained for much less than its imported equal:

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

A Bunch of Keys.

On Monday and Tuesday evenings next this sparkling musical farce comedy by Charles W. Hoyt, will be presented in The Victoria. It is one of the most successful plays on the American stage, and bristles with fun from the rise of the curtain to its final fall.

Travelers.

The following passengers left by the Walla Walla yesterday for San Francisco: Mrs. McNevin, Mrs. Blanchard and child, R. F. Tolmie, M. Law, Mrs. N. T. Gabel, Mrs. Bunster, Mrs. Jamieson, Geo. Harrison, Chas. F. Bailey, J. J. McKay, Mrs. Woodham, W. Woodham, Robt. Norton and wife.

A Celebrated Case.

In the supreme court yesterday the celebrated right of way case of Farwell vs. the C. P. R. was before the Chief Justice. Evidence was received and the case adjourned for argument until today. The attorney-general appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. C. E. Pooley, Q. C., with Mr. H. D. Helmcken for the defendant company.

Mineral Specimens.

Bourchier, Croft & Mallette yesterday evening received five boxes of samples of the ores of British Columbia, the collection of Mr. W. J. Sutton, late assayer of the provincial government. There are over two thousand specimens in the collection, which is said to be the most complete and valuable in the province. It will be displayed in Bourchier, Croft & Mallette's office, together with the gold, ore, coal and woods specimens now on exhibition in their windows.

Nipped in the Bud.

A fiendish attempt was made about 4 o'clock yesterday morning to set fire to the residence of N. Pointer, Johnson street, while the family were asleep. Mr. Pointer being awakened by the smell of smoke, heard fire crackling, and immediately arose, and upon examination found that some fiend had built a fire of kindling wood and coal oil in the cellar beneath the house, which was blazing brightly, and which it took quite a little work to put out.

City Police Court.

Mike Riley, charged with abusing his wife, was remanded for one week.

J. Brown, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was bound over in the sum of $500 to keep the peace.

The charge against Sim Kee for carrying swill through the streets was not proved and the defendant dismissed. B. H. T. Drake, of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken's office, for the defence.

John Riley and John Kelly, the two men charged with larceny, were let out on their own recognizances to appear in two days.

Buttery Released.

A San Francisco despatch says: "Norman Buttery, the Victoria, B. C., railroad clerk who was arrested on the arrival of the Queen of the Pacific, has been released. The crime of embezzlement, with which Buttery was charged, is not extraditable. Chief of Police Crowley telegraphed the chief of police at Victoria on Tuesday asking the latter official to wire information upon which to base a charge of forgery. The police at Victoria did not send the desired information and Crowley considered he was not justified in holding the prisoner any longer. He was therefore set at liberty."

Street Loafers.

A married lady, attired in deep mourning, was grossly insulted yesterday by a loafer standing in front of the cigar stand opposite the postoffice, on Government street. Ladies constantly complain that they are jostled, stared at, and rudely and vulgarly criticized by some of the hackmen and others who frequently crowd the sidewalk. The police should enforce the law in regard to blocking up the sidewalk. If a merchant's packing case remains on the sidewalk longer than the vigilant officer thinks necessary he is threatened with the law. A street loafer is a bigger and more offensive impediment, and should be ordered to move on with promptness.

For a fine finished photo the Hastings Studio. Savannah.

Victoria West Lodge, I.O.G.T.

Mrs. Lila A. Moore, of Kentucky, who has been lecturing in the province during the past three months under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, I.O.G.T., lectured last night at Victoria West. At the close of the lecture a lodge was organized. The new lodge will be known by the name of "Victoria West." The following officers were elected: C.T., Bro. A. Semple; V.T., Sister McNaughton; Rec.-Sec., Bro. Cherry; Assist. Rec.-Sec., Sister Holden; Fin.-Sec., Bro. R. Semple; Treas., Sister R. Semple; Chap., Bro. Patton; Marshal, Bro. Watson; Asst. Marshal Sister Oldershaw; Guard, Sister J. Semple; S. J., R. Semple, jr.; Sentinel, Bro. Baker; Lodge Deputy, Bro. R. Semple.

Victoria to Johnstown.

There was a good attendance of men, women and children at Philharmonic Hall last evening, when Mr. Chas. F. Roland gave his illustrated lecture descriptive of a trip from Victoria to Johnstown, Pa. The various scenes thrown upon the canvass by means of the dissolving camera and oxy.-hydrogen light were excellent, and almost every place of importance between this city and New York along the C. P. R. were pictured. Niagara Falls received particular attention, being illustrated with fifteen fine views. Music was furnished during the evening by Prof. Graant's orchestra, and a very respectable sum was secured by the entertainment for the Orphan's Home. This evening the second lecture, illustrative of the Johnstown flood, will be given in the same hall.

Have you seen the new photos—Hastings Studio. Savannah.

A Lively Time in Court.

Michael Riley was charged in the city police court yesterday morning with having assaulted his wife. Riley, in explanation of the charge, said it was all through his mother-in-law, who drank and smoked just like a man, that the trouble came about. Mrs. Kelly (the mother-in-law) interrupted him with "You're a l——" every few minutes, to the great amusement of the audience present. Riley, continuing, said he had been married about six months, and he wanted his wife to leave her mother and come and live with him; but she said that she wanted to stay with "mamma." His honor—"It is a mistake for two families to live together. You had better get a separate house, and I will remand the case for one week to allow you to make up." Riley (on leaving court)—"I will sign the pledge, sir, if my wife will keep away from her mother."

A Unique Memorial.

Senator Allen, of Washington, has presented an unique memorial from Port Townsend, on the question of defences for Puget Sound. It represents that there is no protection of the commercial interests of that section of the country. When a British ship came within hailing distance on a recent occasion there was not even a piece of ordnance with which to answer the salute from Her Majesty's guns. The memorial dwells on the fact that England has established headquarters for its Northern Pacific squadron at Esquimalt, B.C., in a position so near to Port Townsend that its works can be seen from Point Wilson, and the guns of the vessels as they indulge in target practice, can be heard at Port Townsend, where the concussion jars the houses to a considerable extent. For these reasons request is made that works of defence be located at Point Wilson, Admiralty Head and Marrowstone Point, as recommended by Gen. Miles in his late report.

Ancient Manuscripts.

In the schoolroom of Christ Church Cathedral last evening Rev. Arthur Beanlands gave a highly interesting address on the subject of ancient M.S.S. to a rather small but decidedly appreciative audience. The interest of the lecture was intensified by a series of choice illustrations.

Behring's Sea.

A despatch from Washington, D. C., to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "The president will issue in a few days a proclamation warning all persons against entering the waters of Behring's Sea, within the dominion of the United States, for the purpose of violating Section 1,956 of the revised statutes, relating to taking fur bearing animals."

Freight and Trade Notes.

The Walla Walla took 22 tons rice and 11 bales of deer skins from this port for San Francisco yesterday.

The steamer North Pacific last night brought over two carloads of freight, consisting of miscellaneous merchandise.

The islander's freight last night consisted of one car of merchandise and one car of tallow.

A Dangerous Trick.

It is stated that young lads have been in the habit during the past few days of placing stones and other small obstructions on the tracks of the National Electric Tramway Co. As such a mischievous trick might be the cause of a serious accident, the company has decided to offer a reward of $50 for the arrest and conviction of any persons placing obstructions on their tracks.

The Lebu Wins.

Word was received yesterday by the Victoria agents of the British bark Lebu, Capt. Lewis, announcing her safe arrival in Liverpool, 132 days out from Victoria. It will be remembered that the Lebu and J. H. Hustede left here on Oct. 26, on a race home, considerable money being laid on the result. The Lebu carried a salmon cargo, and was under charter to R. P. Rithet & Co.

A magnificent exhibit at the Hastings Studio. Savannah.

Perry Creek Mines.

At the adjourned general meeting of the Perry Creek Gold Mining company held yesterday, it was decided to issue a $75,000 extension of the capital stock, and a number of the new shares were at once spoken for by the present shareholders. The remainder of the new stock will be placed in the hands of Bourchier, Croft & Mallette for negotiation. Several fine nuggets of Perry Creek gold are at present on exhibition in the cabinets of the firm named.

Presbytery of Columbia.

The next ordinary meeting of the Presbytery of Columbia will be held in the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday next at 10 o'clock a. m. A full attendance of members from all parts of the province is expected, this being the most important meeting of the year. The Wednesday evening meeting, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, will be devoted to discussions on the reports on the state of religion, temperance, Sabbath schools, etc., to which the public are specially and cordially invited.

Runaway.

As Mrs. E. C. Baker was getting into her phaeton at the Transfer stables yesterday afternoon her horse took a sudden fright and threw her to the ground, giving her a bad shaking up, but fortunately inflicting no serious injury. The horse ran up Broughton street to Blanchard, along Blanchard to Fort, down the latter street and back to the stables, where he made a break to go through the window, which he broke with his head. No damage was done to the rig, the horse only cutting his head slightly.

Death of Mr. Richard Hunter.

Mr. Richard Hunter, sub-collector of customs at this port, died at his residence, Cook street, at 12.15 o'clock yesterday, of heart disease. He had been failing for several months past but kept steadily at his post until about two weeks ago, when he was forced to take to his bed. The deceased was a native of Ballamena, Tyrone county, Ireland, and had been connected with the customs service in this city ever since the head office was removed here from New Westminster. He was well and favorably known, and in his death the customs department loses an efficient, courteous, and zealous officer.

Along the Docks.

Steamer Princess Louise will leave for the North on Saturday at 4 o'clock.

Steamer Walla Walla left for San Francisco yesterday.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will go to Alberni on the 15th inst.

Bark Lebu, which left Victoria on the 23rd of October for Liverpool, with a cargo of salmon valued at $182,305, has arrived home, making the trip in 132 days.

Barkentine Malay, Capt. Panno, arrived in Esquimalt yesterday from San Francisco. She will load at Moodyville.

Steamer Lottie brought down a large load of coal yesterday.

The work of unloading the bark Archer is proceeding favourably, and the cargo, so far, is in first-class condition.

Boiler makers are still at work on the tug Lorne.

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PERSONAL.

S. M. Robins, superintendent of the Vancouver Coal Co., is at the Driard.

D. E. Brown, general freight and passenger agent of the Pacific division of the C. P. R., is in town.

R. L. Patterson, manager for Miller & Richards' type founding firm at Toronto, arrived in Victoria yesterday.

DEATH OF MERVYN DONAHUE.

Unable to Rally From the Effects of a Long Illness.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Colonel J. Mervyn Donahue, president of the San Francisco & North Pacific railway, died at the Palace hotel last evening. He had been confined to his bed for over two months, suffering from a complication of lung and stomach troubles. Of late his stomach has been so weak that no food could be given him except in a fluid state.

He was a son of the late Peter J. Donahue, who left him an immense fortune. He married a daughter of Judge Wallace of the superior court. He and his sister, the Baroness Schroeder, were almost the sole owners of the railroad of which he was president.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

PUSHING BUSINESS.

Regular Meeting of the City Council Last Evening.

Mayor Hilbert, of Nanaimo, occupied a seat of honor at the right hand of Mayor Grant last evening, and was an interested witness of the Council proceedings. All members of the Board were present, and after the usual routine business had been disposed of, Ald. Smith rose to a question of

PRIVILEGE.

He said that THE COLONIST in reporting the special meeting of Thursday last credited him with saying that he never drank. What he did say was that he never took a drink with the water works foreman, Mr. Preece.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Charles Ireland, asking that the council take action in regard to the taking over of Cobourg street. He claimed that the council were guilty of injustice in taking over Young street which was much narrower, and ignoring the claims of Cobourg street. Referred to committee.

From J. Turner, asking for permission to lay a drain to connect with his new block. Leave granted.

From Thos. W. Pierre, asking leave to plant shade trees in front of his residence on Pioneer street. Referred to committee.

From W. W. Northcott, city assessor, advising the preparation of certain amendments to the Municipal Act, to be placed in the hands of Hon. R. Beaven for presentation to the legislature.

On motion the city members were requested to assist Hon. Mr. Beaven in having the desired amendments put through the House.

From the Chief Engineer of the fire department, reporting nine fires for February, with a total loss of $5,000, covered by insurance. Referred to the fire wardens.

From James Britton, applying for permission to erect a tent in front of the Central school.

Discussion ensued as to whether Mr. Britton wanted to camp on the school grounds or on the street, and the clerk was finally instructed to inform him that it was impossible for the council to grant his request.

From the trustees of Pandora Street Methodist Church, asking that something be done to stop the increasing flow of water through the Johnson street ravine. Referred to the Street committee.

From B. Williams & Co., calling attention to a bad piece of sidewalk on Johnson street. Referred to committee for report.

From Warden John of the provincial jail, enclosing account of $89.90 for keep of city prisoners for February.

From W. K. Bull, reporting the vote upon the four by-laws placed before the ratepayers on Tuesday.

Ald. Harrison complained that a city employe in the surveyor's office had been taken from his work to serve as a deputy returning officer, so that he could draw double wages from the city. He hoped that such an occurrence would not be repeated.

The report of the vote was ordered to be spread on the minutes.

From A. Andrews, Winnipeg, re. chemical fire engine. Tabled.

From James Angus, asking for permission to cut a drain to connect between Belcher and Moss streets. Referred to committee with power to act.

From Eberts & Taylor, stating that an interview would be arranged between the Attorney-General and the Police committee in reference to the keep of prisoners at the provincial jail. Referred to committee.

PETITION.

From J. P. Burgess and others, asking that Alfred street be extended to Chambers. Referred to committee.

ACCOUNTS

For the month of February, amounting to $3,491, were passed for payment.

BY-LAWS.

On motion, the City Hall and Cemetery by-laws were finally read and passed.

STREET CARS.

Ald. Harrison said that he was not quite ready with his estimate of what it would cost to put the streets in as good condition as they were before the street railway company commenced operations. He thought the company should at least put down plank crossings wherever they crossed the streets.

Ald. Robertson did not know what it was that made Ald. Harrison so hard on the Street Railway Company. He should remember that the world was not built in a day, and give the company a little time to complete their improvements. He was proud to see the cars in operation.

Ald. Smith wanted to see the cars adopt a little lower rate of speed in the interest of the public safety, and also the bolts of James Bay bridge tightened on account of the increased strain upon the structure.

On motion the street committee was instructed to interview the directors of the company in this matter.

SEWER CONNECTIONS.

On motion of Ald. Harrison a by-law dealing with the question of connections with public sewers was read a first time.

POLICE REPORT.

The police committee, in a report, advised the placing of gas in the new police cells. Report adopted.

SEWERAGE.

The enlarged committee on sewerage presented the following report:

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SEWERAGE.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN,—Your Committee beg to recommend that an advertisement be put in the following newspapers: Victoria Colonist and Times, Toronto Mail, and Portland Oregonian, and that the clerk be instructed to call attention to said advertisement by corresponding with Messrs. Waring, Chipman, and Keefer and Mohun, and that the following advertisement be put in said papers.

NOTICE.

Plans and specifications for a separate system of sewerage will be received by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., up to May 1st, 1890, at 4 p.m. The plan approved of by the Corporation will receive a Bonus of $2,000 (two thousand dollars). All information can be had and levels shown on City map on application at the surveyor's Office, City Hall, Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

J. B. HARRISON.
W. D. MACKILLICAN.
J. HOLLAND.
A. J. SMITH.
L. GOODACRE,

Victoria, B.C., February 12th, 1890.

The report was adopted, Ald Wilson alone voting against it because, as he stated, he could not advise any further action in regard to sewerage until the people demanded it.

A ROWDY'S ACTION.

Ald. Wilson had a complaint to make to the council. During the evening a lady had complained to him of being insulted grossly by a hackman on Government street. This, unfortunately, was not the first complaint in regard to the conduct of the hackmen. There was of course a per centage of respectable men among the hack drivers, but there were also a good many rowdies. Once before there was a complaint in regard to the hackmen congregating on the street, and the police were instructed to see that the hackmen kept their seats while on the stand. He had considered this a hardship at the time, but now he thought that they should go a step further and remove the hack stand from Government street altogether. He was sorry that he could not give the name of the offending hackman, but thought that he might be found.

Ald. Vigelius said that there were some sixty or seventy hackmen of Victoria, and among them were some of the most respectable men in the city. No doubt there were some black sheep among them, but the hackmen should not be condemned as a class for the sins of a few of their number. He thought that the police could discover and punish the hackman Ald. Wilson had referred to, and on his motion the matter was referred to the police committee.

EXPROPRIATION OF LAND.

Ald. Holland gave notice of his intention to introduce a resolution, seconded by Ald. Robinson, advising amendments to the Municipal Act to provide for the city expropriating lands for drill-shed, free library building, fire department and cemetery purposes, and compensation for the land expropriated.

SANITARY.

Ald. McKillican directed attention to the necessity for at once providing some place where the scavengers might dump the refuse of the city. He favored the purchase of a steam scow with which all offensive matter could be taken to sea.

Ald. Harrison said the council had no money to buy a scow, and there was no place along the water-front where it could be loaded. The committee were considering the question, and making progress.

ANNUAL REPORTS.

On motion of Ald. Vigelius the annual reports were ordered to be sent by mail to the resident ratepayers, and the council adjourned.

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